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Docket No.: 102

March 28, 2002

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Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Applicant(s): Carranza, Jose R.; et. al.
Assignee: Cardica, Inc.
Title: System for Preparing a Graft Vessel for Anastomosis
Serial No.: 10/055,179
Examiner: Not yet assigned
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Dear Sir:

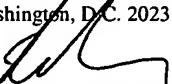
Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) This Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application;
- (3) Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney;
- (4) Assignment;
- (5) Cover sheet for assignment;
- (6) Check no. 5394 in the amount of \$817.00; and
- (7) Return postcard.

The check in the amount of \$817.00 includes \$777.00 in accordance with the attached Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, and \$40.00 for recordation of the enclosed Assignment.

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March 28, 2002

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Respectfully submitted,



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Date Mailed: 03/20/2002

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)*****Filing Date Granted***

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$342.
 - \$216 for 24 total claims over 20.
 - \$126 for 3 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 777.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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